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**Applicant(s):** Victor R. HERRERO  
**Serial No.:** 09/896,657  
**For:** *AUTOMATED ENTITLEMENT VERIFICATION  
FOR DELIVERY OF LICENSED SOFTWARE*

**Enclosed are the following:**  
Transmittal Letter (1 page); and Response with Amendment ( 21 pgs.)

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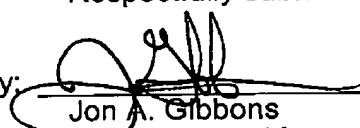
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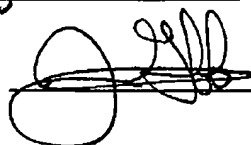
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**Attention: Examiner ROUCHE (571) 272-3733****RESPONSE WITH AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Sir:

The following amendment is being submitted in response to the non-final Office Action dated August 24, 2005 on the three-month response date of Friday November 25, 2005, the first business day after November 24, 2005. Please enter and consider the following amendment and remarks as follows:

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